

The company took off, doing a half-million dollars in business its first year. Since that time, ProDriver's commitment to its customers and its employees has earned it a stellar reputation in the business. Its workforce is now approximately 100 employees, and the company earned almost \$4 million in sales in 1999.

Locally, PDL has been honored by the Milwaukee Metropolitan Association of Commerce as one of the "Future 50" companies the group has identified as major contributors to the economic health of the area. ProDriver was also named by the group as one of the five fastest growing companies in Milwaukee.

Now the company is being recognized nationally, by the Small Business Administration (SBA), and they couldn't be more deserving. The hard work and dedication that Christopher Schmus has poured into his business for the last five years has paid off. I'm proud to recognize him today for his remarkable accomplishments and the honor he will receive from the SBA here in Washington. Congratulations to all of ProDriver's staff, and continued success in the future.

HONORING THE LATE MARION JENKINS—

HON. SCOTT McINNIS

OF COLORADO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, May 3, 2001

Mr. McINNIS. Mr. Speaker, I would like to ask that Congress pause for a moment of silence in memory of a life long resident of Durango, Colorado. Marion E. Jenkins, owner and operator of the former Jenkins Ranch, died from a stroke on April 30 at the age of 82. Marion became a friend of everyone he met and will truly be missed.

"He was one of those guys you loved being with, and he loved being with you," said Kenny Jenkins, Marion's son. "He never was a stranger. Everybody was his friend." Marion was a cattle rancher who loved to tell stories and travel across the United States with friends and family.

Marion moved to the family ranch in 1920. Over the years the ranch grew to 520 acres, which was used primarily for cattle and crops. Marion served in the U.S. Army Medical Corps during World War II, where he was present at the Normandy Landing. "He's one of those people that will sorely be missed," said friend Ray Stolorow. "Marion Jenkins would like to be remembered as a person who would not condemn anybody for something they wanted."

Mr. Speaker, Marion Jenkins spent a lifetime being everyone's friend, for that I would like Congress to take a moment and pay respects to a great friend. An entire community will miss Marion.

EXTENSIONS OF REMARKS

IN HONOR OF MRS. FILOMENA "MINNIE" ZAHARSKY, RECIPIENT OF THE UNITED CEREBRAL PALSY OF HUDSON COUNTY "LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT" AWARD

HON. ROBERT MENENDEZ

OF NEW JERSEY

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, May 3, 2001

Mr. MENENDEZ. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize Mrs. Filomena "Minnie" Zaharsky, recipient of this year's United Cerebral Palsy (UCP) of Hudson County, New Jersey, "Lifetime Achievement" Award.

As the first Executive Director of UCP, "Minnie" Zaharsky was instrumental in managing the overall operation of the agency. In an effort to address the growing needs of children suffering from cerebral palsy in Hudson County, Mrs. Zaharsky and the UCP successfully worked to obtain Medicaid coverage for children to receive therapies and services provided by the UCP. This fantastic feat made it possible for several families to provide their children with the necessary examinations and therapies needed to treat cerebral palsy.

During her tenure at UCP, Mrs. Zaharsky was humble and dynamic in her many roles. As a parent volunteer, she put in several hours answering phones, typing letters, scheduling appointments, and providing transportation to families who otherwise would not have had access to the facilities at UCP. Furthermore, she raised funds to keep the UCP agency in secure financial standing.

Whether she was organizing auctions to raise needed funds, or answering phones, Mrs. Zaharsky exemplified true leadership.

For her years of outstanding work and charitable dedication, I ask my colleagues to join me in congratulating Mrs. Zaharsky for being one of the recipients of the UCP "Lifetime Achievement" Award.

SALUTING THE 2001 JOHNSON COUNTY, KANSAS YOUTH VOLUNTEER AWARD RECIPIENTS

HON. DENNIS MOORE

OF KANSAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, May 3, 2001

Mr. MOORE. Mr. Speaker, I rise again today to salute twenty-eight outstanding young Kansans from Johnson County, Kansas, who will be recognized on Friday, May 4th, at an informal reception honoring their volunteer service. Youth Excelling in Service [YES], a program of the Volunteer Center of Johnson County, has invited Johnson County leaders and educators to this reception honoring the twenty-eight Outstanding Youth Volunteers who will be featured in the upcoming "Movers and Shakers" publication. I will present the young people with a Congressional Award for their contributions to the community, and YES will spotlight the role these committed young people play in addressing community needs.

Johnson County's young people are becoming increasingly involved in service to their

community and the stories of their accomplishments are powerful. The twenty-eight "Movers and Shakers" to be honored at the reception testify to the fact my congressional district's young people see needs in their communities and are ready, willing and able to meet those needs by investing their time and skills. These young people are passionate about challenging, motivating and recruiting other young people to likewise take the plunge into volunteer service. I am pleased to have this opportunity to place in the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD profiles of twelve "Movers and Shakers" who were not included in my RECORD submission of May 1st on this topic.

Snow Fain, 17, Blue Valley North High School. Snow volunteers with her parents through the Leawood Arts Council in addition to activities through Rotary, KC Art Coalition, Habitat for Humanity, her church and others. She has volunteered over 100 hours.

Lisa Kornfeld, 16, Shawnee Mission West High School. Through her activities with her school's service organization, JAWS (Join Active West Students), Lisa has volunteered over 100 hours. She has also volunteered through National Honor Society and Girls to Women.

Anna Clark and Aaryn Clark, 18, Olathe East High School. These twins have volunteered nearly 400 hours each through many different activities. They have spent the most time as camp counselors for children with physical or mental challenges. Other activities they have been a part of include Olathe Youth Court, tutoring and church projects. They have been volunteering through National Honor Society for two years.

Rachele Davis, 16, St. Thomas Aquinas High School. Rachele has volunteered over 225 hours in a variety of areas, including youth services, elderly assistance and homelessness. Her volunteer organizations include: Olathe Medical Center, Hunger House, National Historical Society of the DAR, Johnson County Christmas Bureau, and Johnson County 4-H.

Ryan Davis, 17, St. Thomas Aquinas High School. Ryan has accumulated 155 hours of volunteer service through the Johnson County 4-H, Habitat for Humanity, Johnson County Christmas Bureau, and Bikes and Trikes for Tykes. He often volunteers with his sister, Rachele Davis (listed previously).

Rosa Gabel, 18, Olathe South High School. Rosa's volunteer activities include: arts and crafts, youth services, collecting and donating items and gardening and groundskeeping work. She has worked with the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society on fundraising activities and also with the Johnson County Christmas Bureau.

Steve Evans, 18, Bishop Miege High School. Steve has served 300 hours as a volunteer through Johnson County Youth Court, where he is a youth attorney and judge. Additionally, Steve's activities have also included projects addressing hunger and homelessness.

Amy Johnson, 12, Leawood Middle School. Amy has served 58 hours of volunteer work through her school and the Kansas Humane Society. She has also volunteered for campaign work.

Brad Buser, 18, Mill Valley High School. Brad volunteers through a class at his high